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TOY kind permission of Capt. FAESCHKE and OFFICERS of H.I.M.S. Kaiser, the Band will play at the LADIES' RECREATION CLUB, TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), let of February, at 4 o'elock. M. PALMER.

Hon. Secretary. Honkong, 31st January, 1896. WANTED.

ENGLISH LESSONS, by a Young Address to Care of Office of this Paper.

Hongkong, 31st January, 1896 PRACTICE will take place from the 1st to 29th FEBRUARY, 1896 (Sundays excepted), be-PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned will Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), 1st FEBRUARY, 1896, Commencing at 2.30 P.M. at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, No. 12, AN INVOICE OF

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TERMS OF SALE :- As Customary. PAUL BREWITT. Hongkong, 31st January, 1896.

FOR SHANGHAL HE Steamship "LYEEMOON." Captain G. Heuermann, will be despatched for the above port TO-DAY, the 31st inst. 4 P.M., instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to STEMSSEN & CO. Hongkong, 30th January, 1896: INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, SAMARANG, AND SOURABAYA. HE Company's Steamship 'HINSANG."

Captain J. Kynoch, will be despatched as above TO DAY, the 31st inst., at 4 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & CO. General Managers. Hougkong, 30th January, 1896.

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"HAITAN. Captain Roach, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 2nd February, ot DATLIGHT. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO.,

General Managers. Hongkong, 31st January, 1896. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY. LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, SAMARANG, AND SOURABAYA. THE Steamship

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Hongkong, 31st January, 1896.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG. PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS OF YEONG SHUEY LUN, ALIAS YEONG SHU LUN, LATE OF YUNG CHUN, IN THE PREFECTURE OF SHIU HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK HING. IN THE EMPIRE OF CHINA, MANDARIN, DECEASED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Honourable the Chief Justice having, in virtue of Ordinance No. 9 of 1870. Section 3, maile an Order limiting to the 1st FEBRUARY, 1896, the time for Creditors and others to send in their CLAIMS against the above Estate,
All Creditors are hereby required to send in their Claims to the Undersigned before the said

Dated this 4th day of October, 1895. Solicitor for the Executor. 35, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

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No. 27.

T NFORMATION has been received from the

tween the hours of 3 A.M. and 5 r.M. daily, as

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIFTY NINTH ORDINARY

SHAREHOLDERS in the COMPANY will be

held at the Office of the Company, No. 18, BANK

BUILDINGS, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, THIS

DAY (FRIDAY), the 31st inst, at 12

Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend,

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPANY

will be CLOSED from the 18th to 31st instant

THE WEST POINT BUILDING COM

PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the

MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in

this COMPANY will be held at the COMPANT'S

the 3rd FEBRUARY, 1896, at 12 o'clock (Noon), for the purpose of receiving the Report of

the Board of Directors, together with the

Statement of Accounts for the year ending

The REGISTER of SHARES WILL

CLOSED from MONDAY, the 27th JANUARY,

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Company, Limited.

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THE FIFTEENTH ORDINARY

HOLDERS will be held at the Orrices of the

COMPANY, PEDDER'S STEER, at NOON, on

WEDNESDAY, 5th PEDEVARY, to receive a

Statement of the Company's Accounts to the 31st December, 1895, and the Report of the

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPANY

will be CLOSED from the 25th instant to the

ING CORPORATION.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.

General Managers.

ANNUAL MEETING of SHARE

Hongkong 17th January, 1896.

th proximo, both days inclusive.

Hougkong, 22nd January, 1806,

Accounts to 31st December, 1805.

Hongkong, 28th January, 1896.

By Order of the Court of Directors,

T. JACKSON.

ING CORPORATION.

ing which period no Transfer of Shares can

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TWENTY-SEVENTH ORDIN-

ABY ANNUAL MEETING of

SHAREHOLDERS in the above COMPANY will be held at the OFFICES of the COMPANY.

Pender's Street, on THURSDAY, the 27th proximo at Noon, to receive a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1893, and the

Hongkong, 28th January, 1896.

JARDINE, MATHEBON & CO.

Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited. akong, 28th January, 1896. [310]

General Managers,

T. JACKSON.

Chief Manager.

By Order of the Court of Directors,

Hongkong, 28th January, 1896.

Chief Manager!

A. SHELTON HOOPEK.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

SEVENTH ORDINARY YEARLY

By Order of the Board of Directors,

Hongkong, 31st January, 1896.

HALF-YEARLY MEETING of

H STEWART LOOKHART,

Colonial Secretary.

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31st DECEMBER, 1895.

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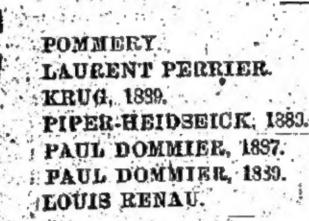
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Hongkoug. 27th January, 1896.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. THE TWENTY-SEVENTH ORDIN ARY MEETING of SHARE.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANI the purpose of receiving a Statement of invited to attend Accounts and the Report of the Directors for NIOTICE is hereby given that the OI the year ending 31st December, 1895. DINARY HALF-YEARLY MEET The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPANY CORPORATION will be held at the Offy HAD. will be CLOSED from the 5th to the 19th Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the fifteenth idem, both days inclusive. day of FEBRUARY, next at Noon, for the Pur-GEO. L. TOMLIN. lose of Receiving the Report of the Court of

Acting Secretary. pose of Receiving the Export
Directors, together with a Statement of Hongkong 27th January, 1896. YMNASTIC, BOXING, AND FENC ING COMPETITIONS will take place at the VICTORIA RECEBATION CLUB TO DAY

(FRIDAY, 31st inst.) Commencing at 5 P.M. Hongkong, 30th January, 1896. NOTICE is hereby given that the RE-CORPORATION will be CLOSED, from HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT CO. LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION. SATURDAY the first, to the diffeouth day of Fabruary next (both days inclusive); dury

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Hongkong, 25th January, 1892 JUST RECKIVED. NEW BEABON'S Report of the General Managers and to Elect a Consulting Committee and Auditors. The TRANSPER BOOKS of the Com-TATOOD'S COWBRAND AUSTRA. THAN BUTTER In Pine Condition PANY will be OLOSED from the 14th to the 27th proximo, both days inclusive. WOOD'S COLUNIAL DAIRY CHEESE GAO P. LAMMERT.

CHAPTER, CATHAY

REGULAR CONVOCATION the above CHAPTER will be held HOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Late above CHAPPER will be held COMPANT'S OFFICE, No. 3, QUEEN'S ROAD in the FREEMASONS HALL, Zelland Street, TO-CENTRAL, Victoria, on WEDNESDAY, the DAY, the 31st inst., at 5 for 5.30 P.M. 19th FEBRUARY, at Twelve o'clock Noon, for precisely. Visiting Companions are cordially Hongkong, 27th January, 1896.

ZETLAND No. 325 E.C.

REGULAR MEETING of ZETLAND LODGE will be held at the FREEMAsoms HALL TO MORROW, the 1st Februs ary, at 830 for 9 P.M. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to attend. Hongkong, 28th January, 1896. THE HONGKONG STAMP DEPOT.

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H. N. Vyvyan, Moji 25th Jan., General and
Coal.—Depwell, Carlell & Co.
Jan. 30, Hinsand, British str., 1,536, J. Kynoch.

Amoy 28th Jan., General -JARDINE, MA-THESON & Co. Jan. 30, Holstein, German str., 1,153, Bruhn, Saigon 25th Jan, Rice.-JEBEN & Co, Jan: 30, Hong Leong, British str., 1,171, A. Fripp, Singapore 21st January, General.

Saigon 24th Jan., Rice.-ORDER. Jan. 30, Sr. Andrews, Norw. str., 2,009, H. Krog-Hansen, Kutchinetzu 25th Jan., Coals.-MITSUI BUSSAN KAINHA. Jan. 30, Oslo, Norwegian str., 777, Chr. Peder.

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Sultan, Norwegian str., for Bangkok. Freir, Danish str., for Hoihow. DEPARTURES. Jan. 30, AIRLIE, British str., for Shanghai. Ox Jan. 30, Ask, Danish str., for Holhow. Jan. 30, CHOYSANG, British str., for Canton.

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It was generally anticipated by Europeans that after the victory achieved by the Japanese over China life in the Land of the Rising Sun would become almost . unbearable on account of the inflation of Japanese pride that it was supposed would take place. The anticipations have been wholly falsified and foreigners have been subjected to no special annoyance whatever. This gives the Japan Mail occasion to ask whether other forecasts, still awaiting confirmation or contradiction, may not prove equally erroneous. "We refer above all," says our contemporary, "to the prediction that, so soon as the foreign residents pass under Japanese jurisdiction, life will become "almost unbearable owing to official interference, police surveillance, and so forth. Are there, in the lives of the Japanese people themselves, any features of an unbegable nature? Do the police exercise "any embarrassing surveillance over their "own countrymen or countrywomen? Speak-"ing from a tolerably long experience we "answer both questions emphatically in the negative. Officials are not clothed with any irksome authority in Japan. law does not allow a policeman to intrude "upon the premises or pry into the affairs of a Japanese subject, except under circumstances recognised everywhere as justifying such action. Is it not probable that, just as success in war has made Japan "more tolerant and liberal, so the satisfaction Licences, Trade Marks, and Letters Patent of recovering her sovereign rights will "impel her, not to abuse the confidence thus placed in her, but to prove herself worthy of it?" The Japan Gazette traverses the arguments of its contemporary. Frunkly speaking, it says, "there "is no reason to believe that the Japanese have much cause for complaint or that they find their laws irksome. But is this any argument? A slave is thank

" find the new fetters chafe?" To this the Gazette gives an emphatic answer in the affirmative. In the first place it refers to Messrs. G.E. Puel de Lobel & the laws against gambling, which might interfere with whist parties. To that the T. Sercombe Smith yesterday afternoon. Mr. answer might be made that if playing whist for stakes were prohibited it would hardly rank as a first-class international question. and, further, that it is not likely the police will be employed regularly searching the houses of foreigners in the evenings to find died from privation. out whether it is played or not. The next point taken is the dispersion of political meetings held in private houses. That, we think, is hardly likely to constitute a thought of. Our contemporary refers, too, to the prevalence of corruption in judicial circles, but at the same

faults. We may hope that these efforts will rucceed in elevating the judiciary entirely above suspicion before the ocseation of the exterritorial system, but even if some suspicion still remains Japan will be by no means unique in that respect . The last point taken refers to limitations on the freedom of the press :- "Then in the Trenty ports "there is a considerable sum of money "invested in newspapers. We have a case on record in which the editor of a paper " was seized and imprisoned and the print "ing presses sealed for fourteen days, when "it was found he had committed no offence That would ruin any paper that depended on-public support for its existence. We do not suppose that the foreign newspapen when they come under Japanese laws will express opinions on any topics. - To avoid suspension they will be colourless, at least we presume the editors who then remain in Japan will prefer to be more collaters "of news to spending the bulk of their time "in prison. Yet occasions must occur when it will be necessary to point out abuses, and those in charge may then find themselves inside the walls of Japanese prison. There is time to

medy some of these things, but they will not be remedied if people sit quietly down and assert that because the Japanese are contented therefore the foreigners will find the change pleasant. A great many people will hardly know the difference, numbers "of foreigners will grin and bear it, but for some people residence in Japan will simply be an impossibility." It is probable that when foreigners pass under Japaness laws the editors of the Engfish newspapers in Japan will find 'it necessary to moderate their critical tone towards the Government of the country. That this restraint will prove irksome there can be no doubt, but here again it must be remembered that similar restraint has to be exercised in almost every foreign country. The number of English papers published on the continent of Europe can be counted almost on one hand and those that do exist indulge very sparingly in comment on the domestic politics of the country in which they are published. The change implied by the transfer from Consular to Japanese jurisdiction cannot but be unpleasant to the foreigners resident in Japan, but after the Colony or from our authorised Agents at the change is effected they will find themselves still as well off, as regards personal liberty, as if they had selected as their place of residence certain other countries that could be named. In Russia, for instance the restrictions on foreign newspapers, there are any published there, are probably greater than they will bein Japan, while as to the general administration of justice in Japan, more confidence may be felt than in, say, surrender of exterritorial jurisdiction by the powers was undoubtedly a great concession to Japan, and the burden: of that concession falls on the foreign residents in the country. That it is a burden there is no denying, and no sophistry can remove its unpleasantness. Hitherto the foreign residents have been subject only to the jurisdiction of their own authorities; under the new arrangement. when it takes effect, they will be subject

some of the South American republics. The living in any other country where exterritoriality does not prevail. They will be no rorse off than the foreign residents in most countries and will probably be much better off than they would be in some countries, but they will naturally not think that reflection sufficient compensation for the existing privileges they will be called upon to surrender. From an international point of view the new arrangement may be con in the Ordinance. If that procedure is complied ably malarial) occur chiefly among older chief sidered on the whole a favourable one, but the foreign residents now in Japan cannot be expected to regard with approbation the surrender of the privileges they have hitherto enjoyed. They are in the position

We have received from Messre, Noronha an Co. a copy of their Race Book for the 18

of a favoured class about to have their

privileges withdrawn, and persons in that

position always consider themselves th

victims of a hardship if not of absolute in-

The C. P. steamer Empress of China arrive Kobe at 6.30 p.m. on Tuesday, and left at 11 a.m. on Wednesday for Vancouver via

By kind permission of Captain Facachke and officers of the German man-of-war Kaiser the band will play at the Ladies Recreation Club at four o'clock to morrow afternoon

The summons sgainst Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co. for dealing in arms without a licence was yesterday withdrawn, as the police satisfied themselves that the firm applied for a licence.

In our report of the funeral of Dr. Okatine t should have been mentioned that detachments of binejackets from the German men-of-war Kaiser and Irene formed part of the procession.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. Lammert offered for sale by public auction the house known as Welburn," Mount Kellett Road, which is now let at a monthly rental of \$110, exclusive of taxes. There was only a small attendance. The property was put up at \$14,000 and the bidding dvanced to \$16,000, but this offer not reaching the reserve the lot was withdrawn.

Ferry will appear at the City Hall in a sernen-" ful for a small measure of liberty which to | time dance. Signoring Ferry has performed at a free man would be unbearable. . . The many theatres in France and she is now travelquestion of importance, then, is not are the maning been given in Manila. The date for read and confirmed Japanese contented, but will the foreigners the performance has not yet been definitely fixed, but it will be as soon as possible, and she will be assisted on the occasion by amuteur singers in the colony

The inquiry concerning the death of Private Baldwin, of the Rifle Brigade, was held by Mr. Leigh spoke to finding the skeleton of the private said that on the 9th September he received a letter from the deceased, who said he had pains in his head and was tired of life. The letter was shown to the commanding officer. His Worship found that the deceased

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The steamer Wingtows has given up running petitions said they wer a told to pull down their on the Hongkong and Canton line and it is sunshades and twenty of them have done so, reported that she is to be sent-down to Singa- whilst of those on whom notices have been pore to trade in the Straite Settlements, being served by Mr. Here, puly two have removed adapted for that trade. It has been decided their sunshades. In the case of the notices that the Knonghot, which was placed on the issued by the latter the Chinese is certainly at river by the Stemphont Companies as an extra fault, and it seems as iff in the Salvingpun disday boat to can the Wingtong off, shall for the trick in which Mr. Brait's notices were served present continue to run as a day boat and be the interpretation was incorrect -A.H. Brewin. old in readiness to cope with any other attempt | Assistant Registrar Guneral," at competition on this line.

The Cup tie played off yesterday afternson o the Happy Valley between A Company, R.B. and the Hongkong Football Club resulted in victory for the latter by one goal to nil, The magnificent football trophy at present being competed for was on view yesterday afternoon on the Happy Valley. It is in the form of a silver cap of great weight, ornamented in highly artistic manner in the best Chinese style Pastoral and nautical scenes are depicted on exterior, while the interior is coated with layer of highly barnished gold.

The annual meeting of the Hongkong and South China Masonio Benevolence Fund Corporation was held yesterday afternoon. Wor Bro. G. C. Anderson presiding in the absence. of Right Wor. Bro. the Hon. C. P. Chater, the President of the Fund. The following officers were elected for the onsuing year :- Right Wor. Bro. the Hon. C. P. Chuter, President Wor. Bro. E. C. Ray, Vice-President; Wor. Bro. 8 J. Hanisch, Treasurer, and Wor. Bro. A. O'D. Gourdin, Secretary, The accounts showed an expenditure on charity votes during the year of \$1.116. The funds in hand now amount to

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CANADA. The Dominion of Canada will expend half a million-in training the entire militia this

PATRIOTIC LIBERAL UTTERANCE. The Right Hon, H. H. Fowler (late Secretary of State for India), speaking at Wolverhampton, said that the opposition must loyally support the Government in presenting a united front to every hostile interference with the national rights and honour.

REPORTED GERMAN OCCUPATION OF QUEMOY.

Renewed rumours of a German occupation of Quemoy having been in circulation, we telegraphed to Amoy for information on the mbject. The raply is as follows :-

"Amor, 30th January, 3.58 p.m. " It is remoured that the Illie is surveying at Quemoy. Nothing authentic is known."

SUPREME COURT

90th January. IN BANKEUPTCY.

BEFORE HON. W. M. GOODMAN (ACTING CHEEF JUSTICE.)

RE WONG LUBAM. EX PARTE FUNG SHING This was an application to annul a receiving order which was made on 28th November, 1895

Mr. Gedge appeared for the petitioning credi tor in support of the application and stated that all the creditors were in favour of adopting a scheme of an arrangement and annulling the

Mr. Seth (Official Receiver) stated that since the affidavit had been filed in support of the application another creditor had proved, so that at present it could not be said the creditors

regard to the English decisions, such as re Flatow, 2 Queen's Bench Division (A.D. in certain cases the Court had power to annul with the annulment of a receiving order. In great majority of the admissions are infants' this case, however, the creditors, having had a and mostly females. first meeting, adjourned that meeting to consider whether they would accept a scheme of brought to this Institution within a few arrangement. Now to make that scheme or days of birth, and it is these newly composition binding a "special" resolution is with and the scheme accepted by "special" resolution and approved by the Court, then, by Court might even after adjudication annul that | careful survey of the establishment and have adjudication, and therefore it might annul the receiving order. It would be dangerous, howthe Ordinance as regards approval of a scheme of arrangement, and although no doubt the application is made with a view to save expense, it might, born infants are subjected before admission. f granted work injustice to ereditors who were no parties to it. The debtor's own statement disclosed debts over \$7,000 and the amount of midwives or by the so-called Chinese "doctors" debts proved by creditors who were in favour of the scheme would seem to be under 34,500. therefore, decline to grant the application. There should be a further meeting of creditors and the procedure by special resolution should be adopted before the petitioning creditor would be in a position to apply to the Court to approve the scheme, the nature of which was not yet be. fore the Court, and to rescind the receiving order. I may add that Lord Justice Fry in an application this kind in the case I have quoted of In re Wester, said at p. 641 of 22 Queen's | the male infant death rate (i.e., 100; 54). Again Bench Division .- "It is an idle notion that the the deaths of infects under five years of age in Court is bound by the consent of the creditors. The the city of Victoria number no less than 26 per Court has for larger and more important duties to perform than merely to consider whether the the corresponding rate in London is about creditors have consented to the rescinding of per cent, and although great allowances mus the order. We are bound to take a wider view. We are bound not only to regard the interests of the creditors themselves, who are sometimes cureless of their best interests, but we have duty with regard to the commercial morality of the country." This being so, it would at least be well for the Court to be informed as to the score and character of the scheme of Briangement proposed if further application is made in

HONGKONG SANITARY BOARD

A meeting of the Sanitary Board was held Cooper (Director of Public Works) presided, and | that opposity without a licence should be liable there were also present Hon. Commander W. C. H. Hastings (Acting Captain Superintendent barbarities is largely a question of education One night next week Signorina Victoria of Police), Dr. Atkinson (Acting Colonial and it is a matter of pniversal experience that By balance, 30th June, 1896 ..... Health), and Mr. H. McCallum (Secretary). MINUTES.

NEW BY-LAW.

the Governor beasted to confirm it. AWNINGS AND SUNSHADES. deceased in a thicket off Magagine Gap, and a 8th inst. I am directed to transmit for the and can exercise his ingennity in perpetrating

died from privation.

Mon. Colonial Beoretary. Reply in connect admit that we are justing here have, I dare say, already had your confied in taleration and two notices posted.

At the regular meeting of the Victoria ki on the 11th inst, and two notices posted. upon helpless infants, even under the secred remarks are required. The Kowleen houses Preceptory, held on the afternoon of the 29th With reference to the stat ment that no request name of Eastern medicine. January, Sir Knight J. Kirkwood was in- was made for the removal of these sunshades, 'No doubt there are many honourable, in year, and in every case an advance has to some stalled as Evaluent Preceptor for the ensuing I have the honour to draw your attention telligent, and conscientions Chinese doctors extent been obtained in the results. The pro- BOXING year by E. Sir Knight G. C. Anderson, after to the fact that the Chinese on all the practicing in Hengkong, and it is to their in porty is now in a very good state of repair, and ton stone grievance amongst foreigners, but even if it which E. Sir Knight J. Kirkwood appointed notices algored by Mr. Hore which I have terest, no less than to the interest of the it does not seem likely that, in the near future will be described as follows. Prelate, Sir Knight seen runs as follows. Whereas the sunshade in community at large, that a check should at last at least any extraordinary expenditure will be that there are various European countries Marshal Sir Knight J. Kinghorn; Treasurer, where similar laws prevail and where the Marshal Sir Knight S. I. Darby; Treasurer, sunshade, In English the cocupant is requested out in accordance with the ordinary of the balk of the thareholders it has been deprotection of exterritoriality has never been Sir Knight F. W. Wate: Begistrar, Sir to abote a naisance caused by an awning over laws of humanity and under such restrictions as fermined to develop the property with further Knight J. Dver Bell: Captain of the Guard. the front of his premises and nothing is said a humans Government might be reasonably building and though Hongkong at the moment of the front of his premises and nothing is said a humans Government might be reasonably building and though Hongkong at the moment of the front of his premises and nothing is said a humans Government might be reasonably building and though Hongkong at the moment of the moment of his periodical repeated one of its periodical repeated. Figurated Sir Knight B. J. Hanisch, D. of Ceremonies, Sir the existence of the awning gives rise to unfavourable, but all the first Herald, Sir Knight First Herald, Sir Knight Those signed by Mr. Brett state in the Chinese matter to the most earnest consideration of the think the time is not unfavourable, but all the Private Owans, R.B. This contest was a

The following minutes were attached ----The President-The newless served by the Inspecform are in the form of ra memo, calling attention to the musance. If the receivers of those do not understand they can make further enquiries, and if necesmary the Secretary will eventually serve the notice on behalf of the Board in accordance with the law. Mr. Ede-I think it is desirable that the nature of the autsance be clearly defined in the Chinese verilor of notices, and sanahades not removed unless really affecting the healthiness of any premises.

The PRESIDENT pointed out that the memoranda left by the Inspectors of Nuisances simply called the attention of the owners to the condition of the awning or sunshade, and not with the intention of taking proceedings on the notices. If it was necessary to take proceedings the usual form of motice prescribed by Ordinance 24 of 1887 would be duly served. He did not propose to proceed further with matter at present The Board conourred

AR ALLEGED NUISANCE. A letter was read calling the attention of the Board to the defective and insanitary condition caused by the manufacturing of Chinese sauces or soy on the ground of Inland Lot. No. 690. which was said to be injurious to the health of

no nuisance existed from the trade processes, and the minutes recommended that no action be taken by the Board The PRESIDENT moved that the writer of the letter be informed that the Board could see no

The Medical Officer of Health reported that

Carried. MORTALITY STATISTICS: For the week ended 13th Jahuary the death rate was 24.7 per 1,000 rior annum, as compared with 19.3 for the corresponding period of last

For the week ended 25th January the death rate was 27.8 per 1,000 per annum, as compared with 12.9 for the corresponding period of last The Acting Colonial Surgeon attached the

A marked increase compared with last year this time. It would be interesting to have last year's return of the same date and compare the two. The SECRETARY said he thought the population last year was over-estimated, because a very large number of people left the colony:

A POLLOTED WELL. An application was received from the owners of a well at 14, Staunton Street, which had been ordered to be closed, asking the Board to coview ita decision.

The PRESIDENT said he regretfed that mera bors were troubled with these applications from owners of wells which the Board had had not the slightest doubt or hesitation in closing. But the letter had been sent for the considera tion of the Board and he felt it his duty circulate it to members. The Board alway corefully considered each case in the first stance and in not one had the Board cancelled an order to close after reviewing an application He therefore moved that the applicant be formed that the notice to close the well must complied with. With the concurrence of Board he did not propose to again circulate similar applications.

THE REGISTRATION OF CHINESE DOCTORS AND MIDWIVES. The following letter was read from Medical Officer of Health :-"Sanitary Board Offices,

Hongkong, 24th Jan., 1894. "Sir-I have the honour to report, for the information of the Board, that I have inquired into the reason for eight deaths being recorde: as occurring from fever at the Asile de la Ste Enfance during the week ending January 11th. and I find that no deaths were registered for this Institution for the week ending January The Acting Chief Justice said that having 4th, and that the deathe registered for the week ending January 11th really occurred during the preceding fortright. I have also in acacainquiries into the large number of destas receiving order; just as it might annul registered as occurring from tetanus at this an order of adjudication, and that the Institution, and also as to its death-rate genpriniciples which regulated the latter case, erally, and I find that during the year 1895 which alone was provided for expressly by the some 1,075 persons were admitted and that no Ordinance, guided also the Court in dealing loss than 817 of these died during the year. The

"It appears that oblidren are frequently born infants which mostly succumb to required and the regular procedure is laid down | tetanus, while the deaths from fever (presumdren, who are taken there by the parents usually in a dying condition, when they find section 22 of the Ordinance 20 of 1891 the that recovery is not possible. I have made little fault to find with its general sanitary conditions, but I have come to the conclusion, from ever, to depart from the procedure laid down by my own observations, that the enormous number of deaths from convulsions is largely due the barbarous treatment to which these newly

This treatment consists in the contentation of portions of the face, and body by ignorant and in many cases the administration of drastic medicines, while the small estimate of female life, which is a characteristic of the Chinese ma tion, has no doubt something to do with this terrible infant mortality. It is a significant fact, in this connection; that while the male births exceed the female in the proportion o 130 to 100, the male deaths of infants (under one year amount to only 71 per cent, of the female infant deaths; in other words, the female infant death rate is practically double that of cent of those living at this age period. while be made for the tropical climate of this city, yet I am convinced that there are other and remediable causes at work to which the attention

of the Board must be directed without delay. "I gather that this question has in past years. attracted the attention of such eniment members of the medical profession as Dr. James Cantlie and others, but no remedy has, it appears yet been tried. I therefore venture to propos that the Government should adept some means to prevent the continued perpetration of such atrocities in a British colony, and a a first step towards the amelioration of the lot of these wretched infants I would suggest that all midwives should be licensed by the Government and that any person seting in to penalty. No doubt the abolition of such one of the readlest ways of educating a class is By transfer from profit and lost account to make them personally responsible to some higher authority. This will be effected by the The minutes of the previous meeting were system of licensing and registration, and if these midwives find that a high death rate among the infants under their charge, from A new by-law made under Ordinance 17 of such causes as I have enumerated, will imperil 1887 was ordered to be sent to the Colonial the renewal of their licences, or even result in Secretary with the request that his Excellency prosecution for wilful injury, there is little doubt that we should soon see a sensible decrease

in the mortality bill. I consider, moreover, that The following letter was read from the a register of Chinese dectors practising in this Colonial Secretary: "17th January, 1896. Sir, colony is urgently necessary, for at present.—In continuation of my letter No. 42 of the any ignorant coolie can pose as a Yee Shang information of the Board the enclosed copy of barbarities upon the ignorant masses of the a minute by the Assistant Registrar General Chinese community (who are, to say the least, on the subject of the removal of awnings and under British protection in the colony) with surshades - I am to I H Stewart Lookhart " out let or hindrance from anyone, and although The following is a copy of the enclosed this may be permissible in the case of sciults, I

infant mortality of the colony. "I have the honour to be, sir, do.

Medical Officer of Health. The following minutes were appended :-Mr. Ede Although I doubt whether registration per se will have the effect which the M.O.H. unticipates, there is no doubt something should be done

The Acting Colonial Surgeon-Lam strongly inion that Chinese "doctors" should be registered but there are many difficulties in the way, e.g. is to define a Chinese doctor? We shall have dreds if not thousands claiming to be so registered they expect to benefit thereby. The Registrarmatter. Lam not aware of the existence of "Chinese mid wiver," with the exception of the few who have been trained by the medical practitioners of

The President-Register certainly, but how the difficulties indicated by the Acting Colonial Sur-The Medical Officer of Health-The Initial di

ulty in regard to the registration of Chinese "doctors" must be met in precisely the same way as the registration of doctors, and later of dentists, has been met in Great Britain, namely, to place upon the register, when first formed, the name and address of every person who can prove that he is practising medicine at the time of its compliction. The subsequent addition of other names thereto can then be made dependent upon such proof of education and training as the Registrar-General or the Sanitary Board, with the advice possibly of a consulting Medieal Board, may think fit to require, and in this way a reliable register will ultimately be obtained. With reference to the question of the existence of Chinese midwives I thought it was a well known fact that practically all Chinese women are, during their acconchements, under the care of a "Wan Fo" or midwife, and that male doctors are rarely, if ever, in

The PRESIDENT-Under the circumstances I move that this report of the Medical Officer of Health, together with the minutes on the reason for interfering. He also moved that the papers, be forwarded to the Colonial Secretary owners of the works he requested to abate a with the recommendation from the Board that nuisance which was couped by a rubblish heap. the matter receive the careful consideration of the Government, as in the opinion of the Board it is a matter which requires urgent attention. The ACTING COLONIAL SUBGEON seconded.

Carried ADJOURNMENT. The Board adjourned until Thursday week,

HONGKONG AND SHANGHA BANKING CORPORATION. The following is the sixty-first report of the Court of Directors to the ordinary half-yearly general meeting of sharsholders to be held

the City Hall on Saturday, the 15th February The Directory have now to submit to general statement of the affairs of the Bank, and balance sheet for the half-year ending 31st Decem-

\$312,217.02; balance brought forward from las secount, ofter paying all charges, deducting interest paid and due, and making provision for bad and doubtful accounts, amount to \$1,514,365.46. The Directors recommend the transfer of \$250,000 rom the profit and loss account to credit of reserve fund, which fund will then stand at \$5,750,000. After minking this transfer and deducting numeration to Directors there remains for appropria tion \$1,249,365.48, out of which the Directors ecommend a dividend of one pound and fiv chillings per share, which will absorb \$444,444.44 The difference in exchange between 4s. 8d. the rate at which the dividend is declared, and 2s. 14d the rate of the day, amounts to \$492,140.92

Mr. A. McConschie has been appointed Chairman for the year 1896, and Mr. St. C. Michaelsen Deputy Mosers. D. R. Sassoon, R. M. Gray, and St. C Michaelsen retire in rotation and being eligible for re-election offer themselves accordingly. Mr. E. Shewan has been invited to join the Board which appointment requires confirmation at this

The balance \$312,780.12 to be carried to new

profit and less account

The accounts have been audited by Mr. F Henderson and Mr. S. G. Bird, who offer themselves for re election.

J. KRANER, Chairman. Hongkong, 30th January, 1890. Arstract of Assets and Liabilities. 31st December. 1895. 5,500,000.00 Baker Carr 74,021,785.52 C. W. Knoz, c Powlett, b Shel. Fixpd deposits :-\$40,132,175.38 Gold, £3,114,908.13/11— 20,172,086.76 69,304,242.14 Capt. Baker Carr, b Elliost lills parable (including drafts on London lankers and short sight drawings on London office against bills receivable and bullion shipments) G. Paley, b Elliott T. Close, b Elliott \$30,825,540.Ta in hand and in transit Indian and Colonial Securities

£250,000.0.0 22 per cent Consols lodged with the Bank of England as a special London recorve \$1,000,000,000 8517,050.0.0 Console and other sterling associates 4,842,814.63; Bills discounted, losses and credits 63,855,449,90 84,073,291.2 PROSET AND LOSS ACCOUNT, 21st DECEMPER, 1895. amounts written off:-

£1.5/ per sh. on 80,000 sharet £100,000 To dividend adjustment account :-Difference in exchange between 4/6, the rate at which the dividend is declared, and 2/11, the rate of the day transfer to reserve fund ... balance carried forward to next half-year

dividend account:

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fite; 30\h June, 1895 ..... \$ \$12,217.02 By amount of not profits for the six months ending 31st December, 1895, after mak ing provision for bad and doubtfel debts, deducting all expenses and intere

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THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILD. ING COMPANY, LIMITED. The seventh ordinary general meeting of

shareholders in the Kowleen Land and Building

Company Limited was held vesterday at the

offices Victoria Buildings, Mr., Fullerton Henderson presided, and there were also present Mesers J. H. Cox. J. Goosmann E. Jones Hughes (Directors) A. Shelton Hooper (Secretary), F. E. C. Georg, J. R. Michael, M. S. Northcote, G. H. Potts, and A. G. Stokes The CHAIRMAN-The report and statement of scoomits for 1895 which have been presented have all been fully occupied throughout the Pitacco, E Joseph, A A Alves, M A.

I tend decidedly towards improvement all round The roads are better: a good supply of water has been laid on; gas is obtainable; and what is still more important. Kowloon has, in the opinion of the general public, increased in favour as a place of residence. According to the plans before you it has been decided to build three houses at a cost of \$18,000. An alternative scheme was before the directors to build five smaller houses, but after consideration it was decided that the larger houses would give a better result, and I think the directors will find these expectations realised. In thinking of his extension it should be borne in mind that the land to the east of the Kowlson territory where we intend to build was not only nonproductive, but it was also saddled with heavy taxes, and we must further remember in connection with this that this Society was started as a building company, and its bounden duty is to build. I do not think there is anything more I can add to these rather few remarks. If there are any questions you want me to answer before asking you to accept the report Eshall be happy to do so. I may mention, gentlemen, that o provide funds for the cost of these buildings ten thousand debentures of the Wharf Company have been sold, and the balance will be sold as funds are required.

There were no questions, and the CHAIRMAN moved the adoption of the report and accounts Mr. GEORG seconded.

Mr. Michani proposed the re-election of Messrs. Cor and Hughes as directors. Mr. G. H. Porre seconded.

Mr. STOKES proposed and Mr. Ports seconded the re-election of Messrs, Arnold and Gaskell as auditors.

Carried The CHAIRMAN-Gentlemen; there seems to be no further Business before the meeting. Dividend warrants will be ready to-morrow morning. I thank you for your attendance.

CRICKET.

THE OFFICERS B.N. v. THE OFFICERS R.B. This match, played yesterday, resulted in a victory for the Navy on the first mnings. Winning the tess and going in on a slow good wicket the sailors began well, making over 100 runs for 4 wickets, Pead contributing a good 42 and Mercer 21. At 112 Eccles went on with lobs, his first ball getting Mercer's wicket. James went the same way. Shelford was next and it may be remembered that his last attempt at playing a lob was to play back to a half volley. which resulted in his defeat first ball. On this consion he had made no his mind that the lobs were to be treated in another manner. He amo boldly in with his holm "well up" and his weather eve as he thought, open Seeing the "smack-you-out-of-the-colony" look in his ove the bowler determined to try a little artifice. He put his field out deep and bowled a short one. Down the pitch came "Tommy, orack | But no he missed her and there was one behind the wicket who did not miss him, and again the valiant "T.S. had to retire first ball to the lobs. He had his revenge, though, as the score will show. The Naval innings closed for 149, and the Riflemen had no easy task before them. Holland did all he knew, but the bowling of Elliott and of the foresaid redoubtable " T. S." was too much for the remainder. When Paley came in things were expected to improve, but although he got well set in two balls he failed to stop his third The R.B. had to follow on and made 140 in an hour for the loss of 4 wickets. Ecoles, smacking about in a rather wild style, made 95, which included four "sixers" out of the ground. The following is the score and analysis:-

THE NAVY. Lt. W. H. C. S. Thring, o Paley, b Knox-Surgeon Pend, b Knex Lt. Comm. Grafton, b Knex : .... Capt. Mercer, st. Paley, b Ecoles Lt. T. A. Powlett, c and b Knor H. M. Elliott, b Eccles . Lt. H. W. James, b Eccles -: La. T. Shelford, st. Paley, b Ecoles G. B. Blount, b Alexander D. C. Dairymple, not out .

BOWLING ANALYSIS. No. of No. of No. of No. No. of No. No. of No. No. Will William Wick, of Runs, Overs, Bowlec B Balls, Balls.

S. E. Hollond, b. Dalrymple . 42 s and b Shelford . 25 Cant Eccles, b Shelford . D o Thring, b

D. Power, c Thring, b. Elliott Disjor Hos, E. Noel, pot out a h Elliott .

VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB GYMNASTIC COMPETITIONS. Yesterday afternoon the two days' gymnastic neeting in connection with the Victoria Rereation Club was commenced in the gym nasium. The room, which had been specially decorated, was filled with interested enectators. moor whom was his Excellency the Governor. Sir William Robinson, The programme was a very lengthy one, so lengthy, in fact that two of the items had to be put off until this afternoon, when a most enjoyable conclusion to the Championship competitions may be expected The boxing was perhaps the most important feature of the display, the skill shown by all the competitors being of a very high order and 441,464.44 it naturally morited warm approval. In the remaining events Mr. H. Arthur certainly scored heavily, for both in vaulting the horse and the parallel bars his work was exceptionally 250,000,00 I neat and showed much careful training. In 812,780.12 the high jump he cleared 5 ft. 5 in., but this was easily beaten by Mr. P. Hyndman, who gave a claver exhibition and cleared 5 ft. 9 in in captiful style. In the fancing competition Mr. Armstrong takes the championship prize, Mr. Kennett having withdrawn from the final heat. It is to be hoped that ere long a more suitable building will be found for the Club. The gymnesium, for instance, is much too small, and given a room two or three times its size we venture I to think that athletics in the colony would soon become one of the chief attractions. At present 1.514.365.48 the members are considerably handicapped by want of space, whoreas in a more commodious house they would not only be able to work with more freedom, but during the winter months gymnastic displays on a much larger scale could be given, and youngsters could be encouraged by

taking part in the bewildering running maze. I'he following is a list of the officials:-President: His Excellency Sir Wm. Rebinson Judges (Boxing)-Mr. A. Rodger, Mr. Ed. Robinson | Referee, Mr. C. H. Thompson --(Fencing) Major E. Neel, B.B., Mr. W. H. Purcell: Referee Staff Sergt, Cusuck - (Gymmastica) Mr. E. Bischoff, Mr. W. Armstrong

Referee Staff Sergt J. Cusack. Timekeeper, Mr. G. A. Caldwell M.C., Staff Sergt, J. Cusack. HIGH JUMP. P. Hyndman, 5ft. 9in

H. Arthur, oft. bin. FENCING First heat J Silva Netto beat H. W. Konnett. Second heat. W Armstrong beat A Pitacco. Konnott

withdrew from the final, and Armstrong was worded the championship.

Boxing—Featherweight (Novices), 9 stone. M. A. Figneiredo, who showed very promising form, beat P. Hyndman in the first heat, VAULTING HORSE—The following mombers took part H. Arthur H. E. Hayward A

Boxing—Catch Weight (First heat). Over B. Bailey beat J. Strathip. This was a capital display, and the competitors had to have an

extra round before the referee could give his PARALLEL BARS.—The following took part in this event .- H. Arthur, H. E. Havward.

Boxma -- Catch Weight (Second heat.)

The rope climbing competition was not concluded, and the ring display was also postponed

# COLRESPONDENCE.

until this afternoon.

#### We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents. RAUB.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS. Sin; An individual signing himself Moralist" has, I see, been writing to the Straits Times a lot of twaddle about Raub. To begin with, he states that the shares have at present a market value of about half-a-crown a piece. A reference to any share list will show that their present market value is \$4.00 per share, or say 8/8 storling. He further goes on to state that he once held ten thousand shares, evidently, to put it mildly, a mistake on his part. He then says that his overdraft a the bank on their account was charged at the rate of 8 per cent. Banks are not in the habit of granting overdrafts for the purchase of mining stock much less of stock in an unproved "Moralist" should have signed himself

Bear, and a poor Bear at that. Raub has, fortunately for its shareholders got beyond the initial stage of an unprove mine and is now dividend paying and is likely in the near future to pay handsomely. It not and cannot be a 10oz. or 20oz. to the tor concern, sending idiots crazy to obtain shares before the boom bursts, but it is and has been for years a steady producer of don to the ton quartz, with wide and extensive reefs of the same; and anyone who knows anything about gold mines is aware that this is what pays, if not quite so exciting as the wild-cat stock. It. has further only arrived at the dividend paying against disasters which would have, voluntarily. or involuntarily, wound up any mining concern without a good back-bone in the shape of good sound reefs with a stendy outturn. The company was in the first place ridiculously over-capitalized; that has been rectified; then a flood came and swept the works clear and filled the shaft with debris, burying the pumps and bringing the work to a standstill for months; this recovered from, a native rebellion broke out in the State (Pahang) and the rebels destroyed all the new works, seized. the machinery, and threw it in the river (parts, getting lost, necessitating getting it renewed from Europe) and scattered the staff; thus another year was lost and work had to again be begun afresh. The mine having once more been put in order and work fairly storted, the wet season set in and owing to the very bad state of the roads work was again, almost brought to a standstill by the loss of nearly all the draught ozen from the hard work they were subjected to to keep the small mill of ten head of stamps high sea: going; then the work had to be stopped to rout the mill and add another ten head of stomps. This only outlines sons of the principal difficul- Moji 25th Jan., had first part strong northerly. ties overcome. The railway now at work and the settled state of the country (now assured by the federation of the Straits Settlements and the extension of public works, mainly roads and moral influence of a strong, well organized police force) will enable Raub to be tranquilly developed and the shareholders to reap the harvest of handsome and steady returns which they have patiently waited for, in spite of "Moralist's" flippant estimate of the value of

Raub last year, under difficulties and with. only twenty head of stamps at work, produced 5,755 ozs. of gold valued at £21,871, or, at 2/2 to London for Batavis. the dellar, over \$201,880.

In 1893 Ranb paid a dividend of sixpence share; in 1894 they wisely paid no dividend, but devoted the surplus cash to developthe mine. For 1895 it is reported that another sixpenny dividend will be paid; this will give 6 per cent, on present quotation value of shares (\$4.00). Next year from Manila for Delaware Breakwater, with 100 head of stamps going we may hope 13, Amr. ship Cyrus Wakefield, Henry, Dec. to get a 30 per cent. dividend on each share at 31, from Cebu for New York. a value of \$4.00, the present quotation of the 13, Ned. str. Oengaran; Brouwer, Dec. 8, from shares. 'Raub is not dependent on one reef, but Rotterdam for Batavis. has a number of reefs to work from, proved 18, Norw, bark Winnipeg, Thus, Nov. 29, over a large area of country.

doz. to the ton quartz and this like Roub Hongkong for New York. will prove richer as greater depth is worked. Pahang goldfields have been fairly tested and

### RAUB SHAREHOLDER. Hongkong, 30th January, 1894.

WELL-MERITED DECORATIONS. The American journalist, Mr. James W. Davidson, at present attached to the Japanese forces in Formosa as war correspondent, was, on November 15th, decorated by His Majesty the Emperor of Japan with the Order of the Rising Sun, in recognition of services rendered to the Japanese troops on June 16th, 1895. The insignia were formally handed to Mr. Davidson by Governor-General Count Kabayama, on the 24th of December at the capital, Taipehiu. This young journalist, a resident of Minnesota, is a cousin of Major Pond, the New York Lecture manager, and was connected with the American tours of Sir Edwin Arnold, Max O'Rell, F. Marion Crawford, Lieut. Peary, and other celebrities. He was a member of the Peary Arctic Expedition of 1893-4, and while in North Greenland on the eternal ice-cap narrowly escaped with his life. In rescuing two companions from a snowdrift his left foot was badly frozen. and although the foot was saved, it never healed properly and hindered him greatly in his work in Formess. Upon returning to America from the expedition, he formed a newspaper syndicate and left for Japan, arriving there in | ON MANILA. December, 1894. In March, 1895, he reached Formosa, where he was attached to the Chinese army, until the arrival of the Japanese three months later. Mr. Davidson at once joined the Japanese troops, having been granted per-mission by the Commander-in-Chief, the late, Prince Kitashirakawa, of the Imperial Body Guard, and was in the field with this division for four months, when he was transferred to the Second Division, with which he will remain until civil control is established. He has been the only foreign correspondent in Formosa,

and through his syndicate, including Oriental

papers, practically supplied the world with the only news from that island. It was shortly after his joining the Japanes forces (June 6th), that he and two other foreigners made their hazardous ten-mile trip through the rebel country to reach the Japanese lines, Campbell, Moore & Co. property might be saved, for which service the Dakin, Crpicks'k & Co. Emperor of Japan conferred upon him and his Dairy Farm Co. ...... two companions the Order of the Rising Sun. Fenwick & Co., Geo. ... After the capture of Keelung by the Japanese Green Island Cement...
troops the Chinese troops retreated to Taipehfu,
the capital. All discipline was at an end, and
Hongkong & C. Gas... the city was given over to rampage and murder. Hongkong Electric The foreign colony consisted of about twenty Hold. In Tramways .... foreigners, and fifty-five English and German marines, who had been sent for their protection. with that great regard for one's person which is characteristic of Chinese mandarins, bribed his body-guards with fifty thousand dollars and disappeared like the morning mist, while twenty thousands of his loyal soldiers were telling every street and alley that they mis catch sight of his Excellency, which won have resulted in his death in a manner that would resulted in his death in a manner that would have pleased the most flendish Oriental. When it eventually dawned upon these people that their game had escaped; despite their vigilance, they proceeded to vent their rage on the capital. The Governor's big yamen (palace) was looted and then set on fire. Other official huildings followed in quick succession. The constant crack of the rifle could be heard on every side, and many a Chinese met his death. The locting of the treasury was perhaps responsible for the largest loss of life, the people fighting over the piles of silver dollars like crazy fiends. And woe be to the man that was caught with more than he could hide. The arsenal, the powder mill, the Government mills, and finally the more wealthy homes of the residents all fell into the hands of the wild mob. The powder magazine was exploded and over one hundred people were killed. The little band of foreigners were anxiously awaiting relief, not knowing but that their turn might come next. So long as the soldiers gave their attention to Government property, the foreigners felt comparatively anse, but by the foreigners felt comparatively anse, but by the third day all objects of value had been carried off and only the possessions of the foreigners remained. It was then that three volunteers —150 bales waste silk.

G. Mellisen best J. C. Cameron. The started for the Japanese lines, thought to be three rounds were toughly fought. Each man sent in several well directed blows and showed sent in several well directed blows and showed considerable judgment in dodging, but Mellisen respondent. Mr. Ohly, German merchant, and trom Amoy, 4.5.4 bales hemp from Manila, 3 cases cigars from Manila, 51 rolls matting, 45 was certainly the eleverer and his victory was the firm of Boyd & Co., tea merchants, a bales canes, 25 bales preserves, 60 bales the firm of Boyd & Co., tas merchants, a 80 cases bristles, 100 casks preserves, 60 bales Malay, a Chinese coolie, and a Chinese as flag feathers, 4 cases silk piece goods, 59 packages bearer, all heavily armed. Although the firing sundries, 14,910 lbs. con gou, and 250 packages was constant on every side, they succeeded in ten. For Marseilles 13 bales mate, and 3 reaching the Japanese outposts without attract-

ing the attention of any hostile Chinese. They at once reported to the commander, who thanked them very kindly for the information as to the state of things at Taipeh fu, and after a conference with the officers decided to march at once with all his force. which consisted of about 500 men, forming the advance guard. The foreigners led the way, and the troops followed as quietly as possible but by the brilliant light of a full moon they were plainly discernible to the Chinese on the Old Malwo, 2 years ..... \$750 surrounding hills, who ran back into the interior | Patna (New) ...........\$7874 it best not to enter the city during the dead of

night, so when within three miles of the place he decided to wait there and, unless there was trouble, not to come in until early morning. Mr. Davidson, Mr. Ohly, and Mr. Thompson then started alone for the city, knowing that the fereign community had great fears for their safety. They met with no mishap until just when entering the city air shots were fired at them at close range, but thanks to darkness and the ordinarily poor aim of the Chinese

Soon after they had departed the previous morning the Chinese had circulated a notice, stating that all foreign property should be seized that night. Consequently, immediately on their return, a Chinese with a great gong was sent about to warn his side to be careful as the big Japanese army was just outside the city. The effect was wonderful. The constant report of firearms ceased, the soldiers either hid themstage after steadily fighting for some years selves in the houses of friendly residents, or springs disasters which would have, voluntarily retreated to Hobe, and many thousand people had their first quiet sleep for many a night. The next morning the Japanese troops entered the city without opposition. Upon the arrival of the higher officials the three foreigners were most cordially thanked for their dangerous journey taken in order to deliver information to the Japanese troops, who were thus enabled to save many lives as well as many thousand dollars' worth of property, which would probably have been destroyed the next day,-

## SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Hinsung, from Amoy 28th Jan., had strong N.E. wind and dull hazy

The British steamer Hong Leong, from Singapore 21st Jan., had first part light breeze and fine weather; latter part strong monsoon and

The British steamer Glamorganshire, from gales and high seas; latter part fresh monsoon

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dases silk piece goods. Per British steamship Chinguo, sailed on the 28th January .- For London \_ 150 cases ginger, 17 cases blackoodware, 9 cases cig ars, and 8 cases gongs. From Hongkong for Glasgow-80 cases ginger, 4 cases screens, and 1 a 38 bronzec HONGKONG TIDE TABLE 31st January to 6th February. Low Worter. HIGH WATER Hongkong Mean Time. Height. they escaped with only a slight shock to their nerves and reached the foreign quarters about

The height of mean sea-level has been determined, from the tidal observations of 1887 and 1838, as 5.87 feet above zero of the tide-gauge at the Kowloon Tidal Observatory; and the Lower-water Ordinary Spring-Tides, to which datum the heights in these Tables are referred, as 3.87 feet above zero.

The heights in the Tables marked with a minus sign (--) are below Lower-water Ordinary Spring-Tides, and should be subtracted from the constant given above. THE WEATHER. OHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER 29TH JANUARY, AT 4 P.M.

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Thermom. 4 P.M. .. 64 NOTICE OF FIRMS. TOTICE is hereby given that Mr. ALFRED F.O. KRAUSS Mr. PHILIPP BERNHARD **BCHMACKER** 

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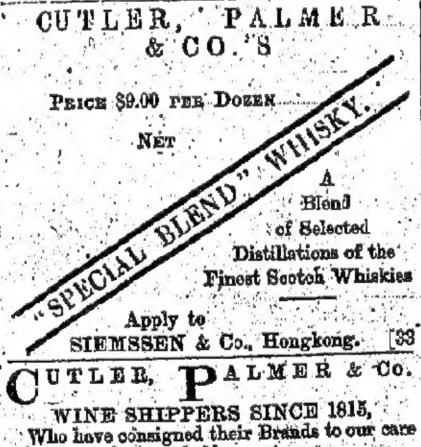
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VESSELS EXPECTED

THE PRENCH MAIL. The M. M. steamer Melbourne, with the French mail of the 3rd January, left Saigon on Wednesday, the 29th inst., at noon, and may be expected here on or about Saturday. the 1st February. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the THE INDIAN MAIL.

The steamer Kutsang, from Colcutta and Straits, left Singapore for this port on Saturday, the 25th inst., at 4 p.m. THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The O. & O. chartered steamer Afridi, with the American mail; left San Francisco for this port via Yokohama and Nagasaki on the 11th The P. M. steamer Peru, with the American mail. left San Francisco for this port via Yokohama and Nagasaki on the 18th inst. The O. & O. steamer Coptic, with the Ame rican mail, left San Francisco, for this port via Honolulu, Yokohama, and Nagasaki on the 28th inst.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Tantalus, from Manchester and Liverpool, left Singapore on the afternoon of the 27th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 2nd February. The steamer Sikh left: Singapore on the 28th nst., and is due here on or about the 3rd prox. The "Ben" Line steamer Benmohr, from Leith, Antwerp, and London, left Singapore for this port on the 24th inst. The P. & O. steamer Rehilla left Bombay for this port on the 23rd inst. The N. P. Co.'s steamer Victoria, from Tacoma, arrived at Yokohama, and sailed for this port via the usual Japan ports of call on

MERCHANT STRAMERS.

POST-OFFICE NOTICE

PEAK DELIVERY closes at Post Unice at 14.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. or in Letter Boxes in the Cars by 12 and 3.30 p clock Trams. Letter Boxes at Peak will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m.

The Postal Guide for 1895, revised to date. will be found in the Chronicle and Directory to accept FIRE and MARINE RISKS at P. XX. This is the only authorised complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

A MATE WILL CLOSE For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama, Per Verona, to-day, the 31st inst., st 11.30 A.M. For Singapore and Bombay.—Per Hydaspes, to-day, the 31st inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Saigon .- Per Picciola, to-day, the 31st inst. at 0.30 P.M. For Amoy and Straits.—Per Hongkong, today, the 31st inst., at 2.30 P.M. For Singapore.—Per Glamorganshire, to-day, the 31st inst., at 2.30 p.m.

For Shanghai - Per Ningan, to-day, the 31st inst, at 2.80 r.m. For Shanghai.-Per Foochow, to-day, the 31st inst., at 2.30 P.M. For Singapore, Samarang, and Sourabaya.— Per Hinsang, to-day, the 31st inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Straits and Calcutta—Per Lightning, to-

morrow, the 1st Fob. at 2.30 P.M. For Manila.—Per Sungklang, to merrow, the 1st Feb., at 2.30 P.M. For Yokohama and Kobe.-Per Occana, wemorrow, the 1st Feb., at 3.30 P.M. For Shanghai. - Per Daphne, to-morrow, the Ist Feb., at 3.30 P.M.

Singapore, Penang, and Bombay.—Per Bisagno, on Tuesday, the 4th Feb., at 11.30 A.M. For Port Durwin, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, and Melbourne .- Per Chingtu, on Tuesday, the 4th Feb., at 5.00 P.M. For Singapore.-Per Thekla, on Wednesday, the 5th Feb., at 10.80. A.M.

...... 687,500 0 0 For Singapore.—Per Glenesk, on Wednesday, The Undersigned having been appointed For Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria, MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES

PACKET The United States Mail Packet Bolgic will be despatched on SATUEDAY, the 1st February, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, . Honolulu, Poru, &c., which will be closed as follows: 11.00 A.m. Registry ceases.

11.80 A.M. Post Office closes, but correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure. MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. The German Contract Panet Karlsruho will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 4th Feb.,

with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyond, vie Brindist; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmali, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, &c., &c. Registry ceases at 8 A.M. The mail closes at 8.30 A.M.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Natal will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 5th February, with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, via Marseilles to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Coylon, Madras, the Australasian Colonies Aden. Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and The usual hours will be observed in closing

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(Prices Current and Circulars may, however, be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles country by country, with the addresses all one way.) 10.00 A.M.—Registry cesses.

10.30 A.M.—Posting of newspapers, books, and patterns ceases. 11.00 A.M.—Mail closes.

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India will be despatched on WEDNESDAY

the 19th February, with Mails for Shanghai Japan, the United States, Canada, &c., which will be closed as follows:-10.00 A.M. Registry ceases. 11.00 A.M. Post Office closes, but correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with the Late Fee of 10 cents extra postage until time of departure.

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TION OF COAL Address :- Care of Mesers. Kwong Sang & Co. No. 68. PRAYA. JUST PUBLISHED.

DEMY OCTAVO, pp. 248. Price, \$2.50. WARLIKE EXPLOITS OF THE MERCHANT NAVY, by J. Published at the Hongroud Daily Press

Office, and to be had from all Booksellers. Hongkong, 21st December, 1894. [3622] NOW READY.

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From London, &c., ex s.s. Chusan and Arcadia. From Porsian Gulf, ex 8.85 Simba. Optional goods will be landed here unless' instructions are given to the contrary before 10 A.M., To-MORROW, 26th inst. Goods not cleared by the lat prox. at P.M. will be subject to rent. ... No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatover. All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns and notice of same given to the undersigned on or before the 3rd prox., after which no claims will be recognised. ALF. WOOLLEY,

Acting Superintendent. Hongkong, 25th January, 1896. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

# TITHE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

· "HYDASPES," FROM BOMBAY AND STRAITS. Consignees of Cargo by the above-named vessel are hereby informed that their goods are being haded and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the goods are landed.

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Acting Saperintendent Hongkong, 25th January, 1896. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship

"LIGHTNING" having arrived from the above ports, Consignee of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods will be delivered from alongside. thereo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 29th instant will be landed at Conserves risk and expense into the go-

Co., Limited, Wanchai. Consignees of Cargo from SINGAPORE and PENANG are requested to take IMME-DIATE delivery of their Goods from alongside. Such Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. No Fire Insurance will be effected.

downs The Wanchai Warehouse and Storage

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & CO., Hongkong, 25th January, 1896. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND

SINGAPORE. THE Steamship Captain von Binger, having arrived from the | officials in service of China and Japan, and to

above ports. Consignees of Cargo are hereby Government officials and their families. requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their goods from Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be Europe. landed into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 1st . February will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be loft in the Godowns, where they will ! examined on the 1st February, at 3 P.M. SIEMSSEN & CO.,

Hongkong 27th January, 1896. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship

"OCEANA." Captain H. Formes, having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby

requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their goods from Option Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 3 P.M. To-DAY.

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, and stored at Consignees risk and No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 4th February will be sub

ject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 4th February, at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected SIEMSSEN & CO.

Hongkong, 29th January, 1893. VESSELS ON THE BERTH

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAL VILLE Steamship "BINGAN,"

Captain Price, will be despatched TO-DAY. the 31st inst, at 3 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Agents. Hongkong, 30th January, 1896. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY.

LIMITED. FOR SHANGHAL. HE Steamship

FOOCHOW," Captain Blackburne, will be despatched TO-DAY, the 31st inst., at 3 P.M... For Preight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agents. .

Hongkong, 30th January, 1898. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA.

HIE Steamship "LIGHTNING," Captain J. G. Spence, will be despatched for the above ports TO-MORROW, the lat prox.

ut 3 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & CO. Aconts. Hongkong, 27th January, 1896. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, AND HAMBURG.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to Antwent, ADISTRIBAM, ROTTERDAM, LISBON, UPORTO LONDON LIVERPOOR, and BREMEN'S THE Steamship

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For Proight, apply to SIEMSSEN & CO. Apenta. Hopgkong, 28th January, 1896.

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NEW YORK

Captain Harvey, will be despatched as above TO DAY, the 31st inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, 28th January, 1896. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY. LIMITED. FOR MANILA.

FIHE Steamship "SUNGKIANG," Captain C. B. N. Dodd, will be despatched TO MORROW, the 1st Feb., at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agenta. Houghoug, 31st January, 1896. FOR SHANGHAL THE Steamship

"DAPHNE, Captain J. Samuelsen, will be despatched for the above port TO-MORROW, the 1st Feb. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & CO.

Hongkeing, 27th January, 1896: OCCUDENTAL AND ORIENTA STEAMSHIP COMPANY. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. Belgic (via Amoy, Naga- ) Sunday, Feb. and Yokohams)

Kobe, Inland Sea, 1896, at NOON. and Yokohama). GAELIC (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yo. kohama, and Honolulu) Saturday, March 21, 1896, at Noon.

THE Company's Steamship "BELGIC" will be dispatched for SAN FRAN-CISCO, via AMOY, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, and YOKOHAMA, on SUN-DAY, the 2nd FEBRUARY, 1896, of DAYLIGHT, connection being made at Yokchama with Steamers from Shanghai.

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All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office until Five P.M. the day previous to sailing.

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For further information as to Freight or Passage apply to the Agency of the Company No. 7. Praya Central,

J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent. Hongkong, 30th January, 1896. NAVIGAZIONE GENERALEITALIANA

(FLORIO & RUBATTINO UNITED COMPANIES.) STEAM FOR

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"BISAGNO." Captain Dodero, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 4th February, at NOON. At BOMBAY the Steamers are discharging in TICTORIA DOCK. For further particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to

CARLOWITZ & CO., Hongkong, 30th January, 1896. FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL (Following the S.S. POLYPHEMUS.)

THE Steamship "LENNOX" will be despatched about 4th February. patched about 18th February.

S.S. "PORT ADELAIDE" will be des-S.S. "GHAZEE" will be despatched about 4th March. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & CO.,

Hongkong, 6th January, 1896. MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SHANGHAL, KOBE, AND YOKOHAMA: THE Steamship

Agonta

"SIKH." Captain Rowley, will be despatched as above on or about WEDNESDAY, the 5th prox. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & CO.,

Agente Hongkong, 30th January, 1896. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY.

LIMITED. FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENBLAND PORTS, SYDNEY, AND MELBOURNE HE Company & Steamship

"CHINGTU" Captain R. Innes, will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the February, at DAY-The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation effered by this

Steamer. First Class, Baloon is situated for ward of the Engines. A Refrigerating Cham-Captain E. Christiansen, will be despatched for ber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions the above ports on WEDNESDAY, the 5th during the entire voyage.

February, at Noon; instead of as previously ad
A duly qualified Surgeon is carried and the Vessel is fitted throughout with Electric Light.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, 29th January, 1896.

YOR PREIGHT APPLY TO CAPTAIN. TO, HE DESPATCHED. Butterfield & Swire Butterfield & Swire Brit. a ta Pulford O res ten P. & O. B. N. Co. On or about 7th Feb Britist. A dot Warrall Holliday, Wise & Co On or about 2nd Feb. Brit. sh Brit. str Dodwell, Carlill & ... Davios Brit. str. Christianser

LONDON VIA BERAITS, &c. On or about 16th Fel On 12th Feb. LONDON. HAMBURG & ANTWERP, On 5th Feb. at Noon. HAVEE & H'BURG VIL S'PORE Arnhold, Karly og & Co. February. 3 Dord thea Rickmers. HAVRE, B'MER, & H'BURG V S'PORE Melchers & C On 4th Feb., at 9 A.M Ger. str. BREMEN & PORTS OF CALL Jardine Ma dieson & Webster Co. On or about 5th Feb Brit. str. MARSEILLES&L'DONV.S. CANAL ( Hene ak .: lesanger a Maritimes On 5th Feb. at Noon. MARSEILLES VIA SUGON &C. Merango des Maritimes, On 4th Feb. Canadi in Pacific B. Co Brit. Bir. On 19th Feb., at Noon. VANCOUVER, VIA S'HAL, &C. Dodw all Carlill & Co Panton, R.N.E On Hth Feb. at Noon. VICTORIA, B.C., &C., V. Y HAMA... She wan & Co On 12th Feb. Brit, str. HONOLULU, VICTORIA, B.C., &C. O. & O. S. S. Co. Brit. str. On 2nd Feb., Daylight, BAN FRANCISCO VILY HANA On 8th Feb., at Noon. Amer. st 2. M. B. S. Co. SAN FRANCISCO VIA Y BARA Quick despatch Brit. ship BAN FRANCISCO ..... Br pdick Castle. Shewan & Co. On or about 4th Feb. Brit. str. Dodwell, Carlill & Co NEW YORK VIA SUEL CANAL Chapman Quick despatch. Arnhold, Karberg & Jc ha R. Kelley Amer. 5 On 13th Feb. Amer. Arpa.... Carlowitz & Co. Butterfield & Swire On 5th Feb., Daylight. Innes .... SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, &c..... C ningtu ... SINGAPORE & BOMBAY ..... Brit, Bar. P. & O. S. N. Co. To-day, at Nuan. H rda spes . On 4th Fob at Noon. Carlowitz & Co. STRAITS & BOMBAY &C. Brit, str. To-morrow, at 3 P.M. STRAITS & CALCUTTA Spen .. e. David Sampon, Sons & Co. Jardine, Matheson & SINGAPORE, S'BANG & S'BAYA Kynoch To-day, at 4 P.M. Tanua ng Butterfield & Swire On 10th Fob. Brit str. Frampton. SINGAPORE, S'RANG & S'EAYA Shani tung On-3rd Feb. at Noon Ger . etr. Cormes -Siemsten & Co. YOKOHAMA & KOBE YOKOHAMA, VIA NEKI & KOUL Verona. P. & O. S. N. Co. To-day; at Noon SHANGHAL KUBE & YOKOHAM A. B it str. Dodwell, Carlill & Co On or about 5th Feb. Rowley.... Price Butterfield & Swire To-day, at 3 P.M. SHANGHAI r.rit. Bhr. To-day, at 3 P.M. Butterfield & Swire Blackbarne Brit. 8. To-day, at & P.K. Siemssen & Co. Henermann Ger. str. To-morrow, at 4 P.M. Siemssen & Co. Ger. str. P. & O. B. N. Co. On or about 10th Fob:

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SINGAPORE & BONBAY ... HYDASPES ... Noon, 31st Jan .... f Freight or Passage. (Passing saki, Kobe, Inland Sea. 1896, at DAYLIGHT, THAMA, VIA N'SAKT& KORE.... VERONA .... Noon, 31st Jan .. through the INLAND SEA. [I COPTIC (via Naganaki, Tuesday, March 3, LONDON VIA MARGELLES ... About 7th Feb. ... Freight or Passage.

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ALF. WOOLLEY, Acting Superintendent. Hongkong, 29th January, 1896.

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(To follow the S.S. "GLANORGANSHIER."

"Merionethehire,"

Captain Davies will be despatched for the above

ports on WEDNESDAY, the 12th February.

DODWELL CARLILL & CO.

Hongkong, 29th January, 1896.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

BRODICK CARTLE

Perguson, Mactor, will load here for the above

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FOR LONDON VIA SINGAPORE, PENANG. &c. THE Company's Steamship

"KAISOW, E. Warrall, Commander, will be despatched above on or about the 2nd February. For Freight or Passage, apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & CO.

Hongkong, 29th January, 1896. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMPTED. FOR WUHU. THE Steamship

Captain Sommerville, will be despatched SUNDAY, the 2nd February. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, 29th January 1896. COMPAGNIE DEB MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

FOR NARSEILLES. (Taking Cargo through to HAVEE and LONDON.) THE Steamship

"DORDOGNE." Captain A. Blanc, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 4th February. For Freight, apply to C. TOURNAIRE,

Acting Agent. 2 VICTORIA B.C. and TACOMA, Wash. Hongkong, 27th January, 1896. STEAM TO NATAL AND CAPE PORTS THE NATAL DIRECT LINE

FROM CALCUTTA

(MESSES. BULLARD, KING & Co.'s LINE. THE Undersigned having been appointed GENERAL AGENTS in China and JAPAN for the above Line are prepared to issue THROUGH BILLS of LADING for NATAL, EAST LONDON, PORT ELIZABETH, MOSSEL EAST LONDON, PORT ELIZABETH, MOSCAL Freight, apply to BAY, CAPE TOWN, DELAGOA BAY, and BEIRA. Freight, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & CO., Next sailing from CALCUTEA, S.S. "CONGELLA" on the 28th February, to be followed by the S.S. "PONGOLA" 21st March, S.S. "UMZINTO" 15th April, and

thereafter every three weeks. SPECIAL NOTICE.

From FOOCHOW AND HONGKONG Direct to CAPE PORTS. PONGOLA" will load middle July. "CONGELLA" will load and August For Freight and further Particulars, DODWELL, CARLIEL & CO., General Agents for Chins and Japan.

FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 A.I.J. American Ship "JOHN B. KELLEY."

Hongkong, 27th January, 1896.

Captain Chapman laving arrived, will load here for the above port and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO. Hongkong, 22nd November, 1895.

SUEZ. PORT SAID. MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS; ALEXANDRIA. MARSEILLES, LONDON, HAVRE, AND BORDEAUX."

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MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS

NOTICE.

STEAM FOR

BAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,

COLOMBO, ADEN.

On 2nd Feb.

On 2nd Feb., at D'light

To-morrow, at Noon,

Butterfield & Swire

Douglas Lauraik & Co...

PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA ON WEDNESDAY, the 5th February "NATAL," Commandant Vetron, with Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Morseilles, and accepted in

transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.m. on the 4th Fab. (Percels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and Value of Packages are required. For further Particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

C. TOURNAIRE.

Acting Agent. Hongkong, 24th January, 1896. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL

FINE Company's Steamship "ORESTES." Captain Pulford, will be despatched as above or WEDNESDAY, the 5th February. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hongkong, 28th January, 1896. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ PORT SAID. NAPLES GENOA ANTWERP. BREMEN. AND HAMBURG. PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACE SEA AND BALTIC PORTS;

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